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SUBJ: FOURTH PARTY COMES TO HESSEN, SAARLAND AND RHINELAND PALATINATE

1. AFTER SOME DELAY THE "FOURTH PARTY" IS ARRIVING ON THE SCENE IN THE CENTRAL PORTION OF THE FRG BUT IS NOT LIKELY TO MAKE MUCH OF A SPLASH.

2. THE HESSEN STATE ASSOCIATION OF THE FOURTH PARTY WAS OFFICIALLY FOUNDED IN GIESSEN ON STAURDAY, JANUARY 31 WHERE THE 37 FOUNDING FATHERS PRESENT ELECTED HANS JOACHIM BLUMENAUER, A REAL ESTATE BROKER IN KRONBERG TO BE THEIR CHAIRMAN. A STATE CONVENTION IS SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 20.

IN THE RINELAND PALATINATE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE FOURTH PARTY ORIGINALLY PLANNED TO TAKE PLACE IN MAINZ ON JANUARY 17 HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED FOR FEBRUARY 7 IN BAD KREUZNACH. THE DIFFICULTY OF OBTAINING AN ADEQUATE CONVENTION HALL IN MAINZ AT CARNIVAL TIME WAS CITED AS A REASON FOR THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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CHOICE OF BAD KREUZNACH.

IN SAARBRUECKEN FOURTH PARTY DEPUTY NATIONAL CHAIRMAN KURT MAYER ANNOUNCED TO AN AUDIENCE OF ABOUT TWO DOZEN ON JANUARY 28 THAT THE SAARLAND CHAPTER OF THE PARTY WOULD BE FOUNDED THERE ON FEBRUARY 8, ITS CHAIRMAN IS TO BE DR. KARL KIESGEN, A LOCAL ECONOMIC CONSULTANT AND TAX ADVISER.

2. FOUNDATION OF THE "FOURTH PARTY" WAS DISMISSED AS INSIGNIFICANT BY CDU HESSEN CHAIRMAN ALFRED DREGGER AT A PRESS CONFERENCE HELD IN HANAU ON JANUARY 31 IN CONNECTION WITH THE CDU STATE CONVENTION (FRANKFURT 0831). DREGGER SAID NO USEFUL PURPOSE IS SERVED BY ARTIFICIAL CREATION OF NEW PARTIES AND CLAIMED THAT CSU SECRETARY GENERAL TANDLER SPEAKING FOR THIS PART OF THE UNION HAD ALSO REJECTED THE FOURTH PARTY DESPITE ITS PROFESSED INTENTION TO BE HELPFUL TO THE CDU/CSU. LEHMANN

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